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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TRANSFERRING INFORMATION BETWEEN A PRINTER PORTION AND A REPLACEABLE PRINTING

COMPONENT

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed March 13, 2003. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: